# WHAT IS GOING ON IN PENNSYLVANIA

Pittsburg's Growth Makes it a Big Political Factor.

QUAKER CITY RING DOOMED

Fight Mayor Weaver Is Making for Purer Municipal Politics. Promises Success.

Out in western Pennsylvania a new national city is being born.

The greater Pittsburg will be one of big cities of the Americas, with about 600,000 people. It will be one of the richest cities. On the record of growth it has been making in recent years it will, before many more years, be one of the first four or five in popu-

At the same time, in Philadelphia, the center of gravity in eastern Pennsylvania, there is a great political revoution afoot that is today shaking to

Watching these two great movements in the affairs of the second State of the Union, the Gibraltar of Republicanism, observers and politicians are spec-ulating with deep interest on the future of affairs in the State. For many years the Philadelphia machine headed Israel W. Durham has dominated the State's affairs.

Even under the reign of the allpowerful Quay, Durham was the field marshal of Pennsylvania politics. His wonderful organization of veteran political manipulators formed the basis of When the organization named him for wayer he was satisfactory to its co-

Pittsburg, under the old regime, was much of the time a negligible quantity. By comparison with Philadelphia it was too small to be a serious factor. There was a feud between the Quay and Durham machines on the one hand and the McGee organization in Pittsburg. McGee was a power in his own balliwick, but seldom was he able to make his hand strongly felt in State affairs.

But all this, politicians declare, is likely to be revolutionized. Pailadelphia, corrupt yet, is no long r contented. The elements that make for righteousness are making a determined fight for ascendency. After twenty years of effort they are in sight of one of the greatest.

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### Ring Is. Bankrupt.

The Durham ring in Philadelphia is today looked upon by the most accurate students of affairs as bankrupt. The tremendous revelations concerning the relations of Durham and others to municipal contracts have given the finishing ouch to the public's realization of the conditions surroundin - its government. It is even said that Durham himself is not only politically ruined, but that his health is broken and that he would soon have been forced voluntarily to retire

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If he makes good, if he succeeds in getting the elections organization of the fogolo to 8,090 fraudulent names that have been placed on it by the gang, and represented in elections by fraudulent ballots cast for the organization; if he is able to get good men as lieu tenants, and through them, to stop grafting in contracts, corruption of the sable to get good men as lieu tenants, and through them, to stop grafting in contracts, corruption of the way from him, the people, if they still keep awake and conflue the fight they have so well begun, may be able, despite the new law, to get control of the spite the new law, to get control of the spite the new law, to get control of the spite the new law, to get control of the councils hold the power of appointment of the councils hold the power of

It isn't material whether the mayor o the councils hold the rower of appointment, so that it is wielded honestly.

An honest council along with an honest, even though powerless, mayor, would be able to carry forward the reform move-

This is the immense task that con-fronts John Weaver. And what manner of man is he? Only about twelve years a resident of this country, born and educated in England, a lawyer by profes-sion, he was elected to an attorneyship

ring candidate. During his service in that office he did nothing to mark him for the strenuous career into which he has been so suddenly plunged. He was regarded as a reliable machine man, and withal as

# Little Czarewitch Now Somewhere in Hiding

Heir to Russia's Throne Concealed, Probably in Some Obscure Part of the Country. Story of Bloody Rug.

Sultan Sent It Away.

Thirty-ninth Annual Commencem Exercises-Address to Graduates by James F. Shea.

The thirty-ninth annual commence ment of St. John's College was held last night at the Lafayette Theater. The of the Apostolic Mission House, pre-

sided. The degree of bachelor of arts,

or of sciences was awarded to six men.

diplomas, while more were given cer-

The address to the graduates was

made by James F. Shea, '81. Dennis Eugene Cennell, carried off the honors

of the year by winning the scholarship to the Catholic University.

Five of the six members of the grad-uating class delivered orations. William

B. Fennell, Daniel A. Ryan, Emmanuel A. Chafflott, Dennis E. Connell, and

Auguste J. Lix, were the orators, each

speaking on some subject of public in-

The Rev. A. P. Doyle conferred the

degrees and awarded the certificates.
Mr. Shea, in his address to the graduates, spoke of the strength of purpose needed by the young men in entering the business world and also of the need of applying Christian principles to business methods.

CARDINAL SAYS PRESIDENT

President Roosevelt received a call this morning from Cardinal Gibbons. The cardinal was escorted to the White

House by the Rev. Dr. Stafford, of St.

"I came to congratulate the President upon his achievement in bringing about peace between the contending powers in the East," said the cardinal after his interview with the President.
"He is an angel of peace, and deserves the thanks of the entire world."

TO SUCCEED BELLINGER

WILL APPOINT COTTON

"The late Sultan lived in deadly fear

ST. PETERSBURG, June 17.—Where is the little Czarewitch? is the question which all Russia is debating at present.

Only one person in Russia, outside of the imperial household, the chief of the secret police, knows.

It is known that the heir to the Czar's throne is hidden somewhere, maybe in Denmark, maybe at Hesse Darmstadt, some say, but probably in an obscure place in Russia.

A strong belief has taken hold of all superstitious Russians, and everybody is more or less superstitious in Russia, that all the disasters which have overfaken the country are due to a relic in the possession of Czar Nicholas.

When the Czarewitch was born present.

The Ricod-Stained Rug.

The rug is what is known as the blood-stained rug of the tenth century. In the twelfth century it was bewitched and wer taken down from the wall of a royal p lace in England, and picked up and carried away.

"It next made its appearance in Rome, in the fourteenth century, but was banished from the Italian palace because of its effect upon the courtiers and the servants, who knew its bloody history. And for the next hundred years it went here and there, leaving always in its wake a story of war, of murder, of riot, and of suicide

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### The Blood-Stained Rug.

Among these presents was one that was never made known in the press. This was a magnificent tapestry, a wonderful thing woven in colors of green and gold, with pink lights and great yellow spots divided by snow-white lines. This came from the Sultan of Turkey, it is said.

Just what the Czar said when he saw this tapestry, which is of priceless value, is not known. But the Czarina was delighted, and immediately demanded that a rugmaker from Moscow be sent to read the inscription on the rug and trace its history.

"The late Sultan lived in deadly fear of its evil influence, but did not dare to get rid of it, but Sultan Abdul Hamid sent it as a present to the baby Alexis, upon whose fate all Russia hangs."

Again and again the Czar has been asked in hundreds of letters to throw the rug out or give it to a church, where the saints would counteract the curse it brings, but the Czar always refused.

The first story of the rug is that, in the making of its very difficult pattern, many errors were made. As soon as an error was discovered the weavers were all put to death and new men put in their places, and before it was finished it had cost the lives of more than three hundred weavers. its foundation the whole fabric of Keystone politics.

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### Ring Is Crumbling.

John Weaver will stay to the end, declare Pennsylvanian, who know him best. They have no fears on that score. He has been making wonderful progress thus far. The organization is ap-parently fast crumbling to pieces.

Its splendid bluff, based on the assumption that the mayor could not find its really vulnerable places, has been given up. Its armor of selfish interest has been pierced. Confessions have been made dragging its highest officers into the calcium and showing them to the world as plain corruptionists and boodlers. Weaver is winning at every

point.

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# PRINCE DE BEARN

Must Answer For Use of the de Chalais Title.

CLAIMED BY A COMPATRIOT

Former Attache of French Embassy Here in Trouble Over Engagement to Miss Winans, Heiress.

Prince de Bearn, until recently attache of the French embassy here, stands an excellent chance of having to fight a duel with an enraged fellowcountryman, who objects to his claiming the additional title of "Prince de

This militant compatriot is the Prince Hely de Saigan, a prominent Parisian of forty-five years, clubman and society favorite, and, moreover, the most famous duelis, in I cance. "I am the only Prince de Chalais in the Almanach de Gotha, or elsewhere," he declares, and he says he will have a meeting with the Prince de Bearn with broadswords or brand him as an impostor through the French capital.

### Society Is Thrilled.

Meanwhile two Continents stand aghast, for it is fully believed the Prince de Salgan means to protect his family name at all hazards. He was moved to divulge the state of his feelings by the published announcement that Miss Beatrice Winans, of Baltimore, Paris, and of her hand and ample fortune on the "Prince de Chalais." Her engagement to Prince de Bearn was announced some time ago and the Chalais title was joined to the former one when the news was made known.
"It is impossible," undauntedly de-

clared the Prince de Saigan. "I am the only Prince de Chalais and I may say I

only Prince de Chalais and I may say I am not engaged to marry Miss Winans. She is a lovely woman, as I am convinced, but she is not marrying the Prince de Chalais, but plain Mr. Galard—because I am the only Prince de Chalais and have no present intention of marrying any one."

A Question of Honor.

Complicated indeed seems the situation. Prince de Bearn has laid claim to the title and it is represented as a part of his offering at the feet of the American beauty. The prince was well-liked in Washington, in his year's service here, and there was some curiosity to find whether he would carry off a Washington helress as nis bride. Even before he arrived here he had to defend his right to the title of "Prince de Bearn," a famous correspondent on foreign affairs and the nobility in general having

right to the title of "Prince de Bearn," a famous correspondent on foreign affairs and the nobility in general having asserted he was only "Count de Bearn" at the most.

Shortly before leaving Washington a few months ago the title of "Prince de Bearn et Chalais" came into use and went unchallenged until the Prince de Saigan saw the announcement of his own engagement, as he thought, and promptly took issue with de Bearn. He declares his admiration for Miss Winans himself, so i' may come to a pass where the heiress may still become "the Princess de Chalais" if she can be a bit indifferent to the individual behind the title. What she will do eventually is now the question which interests Washington, with its long record of international engagements, with some subsequent weddings.

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On inquiry at the French embassy this afternoon, The Times learned that no information has reached there of the re ported plight of the Prince de Bearn. On hearing the details, however, one of his late colleagues, who is still on the embassy staff, said:

"It is true as each one says, from his standpoint, and the only way I can think of to settle the matter is to take the case before the French Court of Appeals. The Prince de Saigan is the Prince de Chalais—undoubtedly. It is so in the Almanach de Gotha.

"The Prince de Bearn was granted the same title in February of 1904 by the King of Spain. You see, the two princes had the same grandfather, but the title has come in the direct line to the Prince de Saigan. It is the Salic law which he invokes, since Prince de Bearn is descended in the female line of de Chalais and has no right of claim the title under the French law. But he says the title is his by right of the Spanish custom, since it was conferred on him by the King of Spain. I must say I think the only way to settle the dispute is to take the matter linto the courts for judicial consideration."

These week-end trips to the Beach are a delightful way of spending from six to twenty-four hours at the resort and enlowing the many pleasures of the resort. Those who go on tomorrow's trip will: have a delightful ride down the river, and will have about five hours in which to take a salt-water bab, and to go boating, crabbing, and fishing. The cottages are rapidly illing up, and the Beach has already taken on its summer aspect. A number of new attractions will be found on the boardwalk, and a most enjoyable time can be spent.

These trips can be made with no loss of time from business. On the return trip, the steamer leaves the Beach at 5 p. m., and is home about 10 p. m. The Colonial Beach Hotel is open and ready for business.

Took Suit of Clothes.

Ten dollars' fine or thirty days in jail was the sentence imposed upon William.

nan, Bernard P. Hessier, Harry S. Lucas, John J. Drury, and Bernard J. Green.

Freshman class—Michael A. Deviny, William Edmund Freeman, William J. Neuland, John J. Barry, Feltx G. Daly, Neel W. Urling, Thomas H. Rundlett, and John A. Quinn.

Commercial class—D. Oscar O'Conneil and Bernard J. Farrell.

First academic class—William C. Daly, Charles A. Smith, Arthur J. McFadden, Aubrey T. Daly, J. Edmund Cammack, Paul A. Hines, Jules C. Lix, Francis W. Madigan, James B. Leonard, Reuben Ford, Joseph H. Dierken, John J. Widmayer, Paul N. French, John J. Widmayer, Paul N. French, John J. Widmayer, Paul N. French, John D. Hogan, Frencis J. Howard, Peter J. Hogan, Rene A. Ruiz, James I. Bifield, and Maurice S. May. tion."

Should the Prince de Saigan take the case into the French courts he would undoubtedly be sustained there. It seems as if the cautious comment of Prince de Bearn's late colleague here may be given that interpretation. Nevertheless Washington and Newport, as well as Paris, will await with interest further details of the duel challenge to which the Prince de Bearn has been inwhich the Prince de Bearn has been in-vited by the Prince de Saigan.

# FORMER NAVY MAN IS AN ANGEL OF PEACE

Charles Lundeen, formerly a quarter-master in the United States navy, today filed a petition for a writ of corpus to procure his release from St Elizabeth's Hospital for the Insane. He says he is not of unsound mind.

Mr. Lundeen says he was committed to St. Elizabeth's Hospital about four years ago, and has since been kept confined there against his will. He says he was honorably discharged from the navy July 31, 1904, and notwithstanding

PORTLAND, Ore., June 17.—Senator Fulton announces that President Roosevelt, will appoint W. W. Cotton, of this city, United States district judge to succeed the late Charles B. Bellinger.

Cotton is head of the legal department of the Oregon Railway and Navigation Company. He is a lawyer of great ability, and was associated with Belinger in codifying the laws of Oregon.

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# ALEXANDRIA NEWS NOTES

ALEXANDRIA, Va., June 17.—The S. C. Swain, president; John T. Harrimusical recital of the pupils of Miss son, vice president; Lloyd Spittle, re-Devitt's class took place at Lannon's cording secretary; C. A. Howard, finan-Opera House last night. The pupils were assisted by Miss Josephine Gould and Miss Mary Wild as soprano soloists: C. F. Stanley, as basso soloist, and Willis Leisnear as violinist.

### MRS. PURYER DEAD. Mrs. Mary Jane Puryer, widow of W.

H. Puryer, aged seventy years, died at her home, 511 Cameron street, this morn-ing. Mrs. Puryer was born at Oak Hill, N. C. Her remains will be sent to-night to Oxford, N. C., for interment.

### FINED FOR ASSAULT.

John Dogan, colored, was arrested by Policemen Mayhew and Nicholson, charged with assaulting and beating Hattle Conway, also colored. Justice Caton fined John \$20.

### WILL MEET IN DANVILLE. The Grand Lodge of Good Samaritan

has decided to meet in Danville next

### OFFICERS ELECTED.

The following officers have been elected by Carpenters' Union, Local No. 1605;

Record Crowds at Chevy Chase Lake.

Hundreds have escaped the discom

River View.

Colonial Beach

### EXCURSIONS. STEAMER RUNS AGROUND IN FOG ON PECHE ISLE Marshall Hall.

night.

A delightful place to spend tomo row in Marshall Hall, where cool river DETROIT, Mich., June 17.-The steam er Columbia, with 1,100 passengers aboard, which left here on a moonlight Is Marshall Hall, where cool river breezes always blow and shade is to be found in abundance. The Marshall Hall Band renders a concert of select music on the green lawns during the afternoon and evening. Table d'hote dinner is served in the well-appointed dining hall. Amusements are to be found on all parts of the grounds. The steamer Charles Macalester will leave for Marshall Hall tomorrow at il a. fn. 2:30 and 6:30 p. m.; returning, leave the Hall at 1, 5, and 9 o'clock p. m.

To cool off this evening, take the Macalester for Marshall Hall and Indian Head at 6:30 o'clock. Concert music on the down trip, and music for dancing at the Hall. excursion at 9 o'clock Friday night, ran aground during a fog on Peche Isle, at the head of the Detroit river, late last

SUCCEEDS DR. McLEAN.

INJUNCTION DISMISSED.

William M. Slemp, son of Congress

Slemp, has succeeded the late Dr. Mc

Efforts to release the large boat proved fruitless last night. The steamer Promise went to her assistance and suc-

The Columbia reached Detroit at 7

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FALLS FROM WAGON SEAT TWENTY FEET IN AIR

cording secretary; C. A. Howard, financial secretary; Alphonso Lucas, treasurer; Edward Care-conductor, and Archie Simpson, warden.

Driver Fractures His Skull and Dies on Way to the Hospital-Has No Relatives.

Lean as chief clerk at the revenue office here. Robert W. Blair has been ap-pointed second deputy to fill the place of J. A. Ebbborn, resigned. twenty feet from the ground, by a heavy limb of a tree under which he was driving, Alfred Rosenbach, thirty-two years old, struck the ground on his head with such force that his skull was The Court of Appeals of Virginia, at The Court of Appeals of Virginia, at Wythevilie, yesterday reversed the judgment of the corporation court of Alexandria, in the case of M. Lawler et al. vs. R. W. French. The case is one involving the ownership of the handsome residence, in South Washington street, long occupied by R. W. Wrench, which was sold at auction under a deed of trust to M. Lawler some time ago. Messrs. Norton and Boother represented Mr. Lawler in the case, while Edmund Burke and C. C. Carlin represented Mr. French. Under the ruling of the court of appeals, the injunction against Mr. Lawler has been dismissed, and he is allowed to take steps to secure possession of the property. fractured. He died yesterday afternoon before reaching the Homeopathic Hos-pital. Coroner Nevitt investigated the case and gave a certificate of acci-dental death. The body was turned over to an undertaker and prepared for in

Rosenbach was driving an oil wagon for Mrs. Atkins, who conducts a store at 1217 K street northwest, where he re-sided. At Fifth and N streets northwest the stout limbs of a tree west the such that the face and on the chest. He ducked his head in the endeavor to avoid being knocked off the

deavor to avoid being knocked off the seat, and in so doing allowed the reins to drop from his hands.

When the loosened lines begar striking the horse on the back, the animal increased his speed.

Rosenbach stood up on the footrest under the seat. He was struck at this moment squarely in the forehead by a limb about two inches in circumference, and he was brushed off his feet. Falling headlong to the asphalt, he lay motionless for some moments before several pedestrians went to his side. He was unconscious.

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Rosenbach was hurried to Homeopathic Hospital, but when that institution was reached the physicians pronounced life extinct.

When Mrs. Atkins went to the morgue yesterday afternoon to identify the body she said Rosenbach was single, and had no relatives in this country.

Chief Engineer Belt today nended to Commissioner Ma

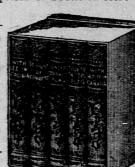


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## SCRATCHED DAY AND NIGHT "My scalp was covered with little

Ten dollars' fine or thirty days in jail was the sentence imposed upon William Callaway, colored, for the larceny of a suit of clothes from Joseph Dasher. The prisoner admitted that Dasher gave him the suit to take to a cleaner, but instead of going to a tailor's Callaway went to a pawnshop, where he sold the clothes for \$1.5. The suit was recovered by Policeman Allen, who arrested Callaway.

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pimples and I suffered tortures from the itching. I was scratching all day and night, and I could get no rest. I washed my head with hot water and Cuticura Soap and then applied the Cuticura Ontment as a dressing. One box of the ointment and one cake of Cuticura Soap cured me. Now my nead is entirely clear and my hair is growing splendidly. I have used Cuticura Soap ever since, and shall never be without it. (signed) Ada C. Smith, 309 Grand St., Jersey City, N.J."

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